FISCAL NOTE

HJR 20

January 31, 2005

SUMMARY OF BILL: Continues the special joint committee to study the present alignment of trial court judicial districts and the allocation of judicial personnel in such districts. This special joint committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the 104th General Assembly no later than April 1, 2005, at which time the committee shall cease to exist. Non-legislative members shall not receive compensation but shall receive travel reimbursement.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$2,264 Each One Day Meeting

Assumptions:

- Travel and per diem expenses for four legislative members of \$964 per meeting (\$141 per diem plus \$100 mileage each).
- Travel expenses for 13 non-legislative members of \$1,300 per meeting (\$100 mileage each).
- No travel reimbursement for Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts, who is based in Nashville.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director